



WILLIAM EARL MICHAEL

The 1979 Catamount is dedicated to a man whose record of service at Potomac State College speaks for itself. Since joining the faculty in 1946, he has made major contributions to the college. He accepted responsibility willingly and maintained at all times a warmth and friendliness of spirit that is uniquely his own.

Because of his dedicated service, his never-ending co-operation and his sincere interest in the students at Potomac State, the Sophomores, yearbook editor and staff, respectfully and gratefully dedicate the 1979 Catamount to WILLIAM EARL MICHAEL, Professor Emeritus of Biology.









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Turning points are for those of us who turn frowns into smiles.

Turning points are for those of us who now walk in another direction.

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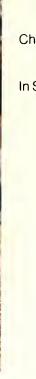
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Making my entrance again with my usual flair — Stephen Soundheim

Points







Turn toward tomorrow with hopes of the future.

Turning points are for those of us who are, with time and space, slowly becoming adults.



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TIME, FRIEND, TIME.



I'm on your side, oh, when times get rough. — Simon and Garfunkel



A friend is half of my life



Remembrance is a form of meeting.

WE LAUGHED WHEN WE WERE YOUNG, WHEN DREAMS WERE MADE OF GROWING UP,





BEFORE OUR SONGS WERE SUNG,



Life is music if one be rightly in tune and in time. — Browning



Music, when soft voices die, Vibrates in the memory. — Percy Bysshe Shelley





Live according to truths within yourself

BEFORE OUR MINDS WENT WANDERING



If you walk in front of me, I may not follow. If you walk behind me, I may not lead. But if you walk beside me, I will be your friend.



By sharing ourselves with others, the memory of our lives will never fade away, but will live forever.

AND LEFT A
CHILD BEHIND.

WE HADN'T MUCH OF ANYTHING,











Being me alone is not complete, so I joined you and we created us.



According to the latest study, the people most likely to get things done are those who haven't found out yet . . . that it can't be done.

BUT FRIEND,
WE HAD THE TIME...
HAD THE TIME...

LIFE, FRIEND, LIFE.



You make me feel like I'm more than a friend. — Seals and Crofts



Our thoughts are the epochs in our lives; all else is but a journal of the winds that blew while we were here. — Thoreau





We thirst for life's meaning, and quench that desire with a pure spring of delight.

WE RAISED OUR GLASSES HIGH TO DRINK A TOAST AND SING A SONG





AND NEVER WONDER WHY.

THE HOURS FLEW SO QUICKLY THEN,



Pleasures and actions make the hours seem short.







Strange, the desire for certain pleasures is a part of my pain.



Individuality is the salt of common life. You may have to live in a crowd, but you do not have to live like it, nor subsist on its food.

STUDENT UNION



AND WHO
WERE
WE
TO MIND?

SO, WE ALL
WENT
ADVENTURING
AND NEVER
THOUGHT OF
TIME . . .
THOUGHT
OF
TIME.



The road is long, with many a winding turn that leads us to who knows where



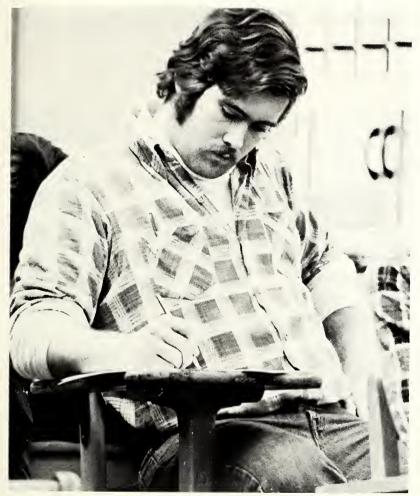




Aren't we a pair? Me here at last on the ground, you in mid-air.







Words are timeless. You should utter them or write them with a knowledge of their timelessness. — Kahlil Gibran

TIME, FRIEND, TIME. WE SIGH, AND WE ARE OLD.



There is a place where you stop and I begin. Our friendship hinges on that turning point.



OUR SONGS ARE
FADING ECHOS NOW,
OUR MEMORIES
ARE RETOLD.



He ain't heavy, he's my brother.



SOON ONE
OF US MUST
SAY GOODBYE,
THE OTHER
CLOSE
BEHIND





Life just isn't that simple anymore.

BUT, OLD FRIEND, WE'D DO IT ALL AGAIN,







Two heads work better than one

IF WE
JUST HAD
THE TIME . . .
HAD THE TIME.

--- Bob Zentz



Must we always teach our children with books?

Let them look at the mountains and the stars above.

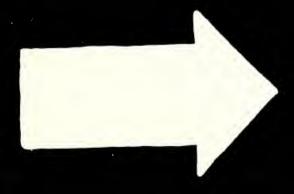
Let them look at the beauty of the waters

and the trees and the flowers on earth.

They will then begin to think,

And to think is the beginning of a real education.

- David Polis









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He does not bid you enter

The house of his wisdom,

But rather leads you to the



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Learning

follows

different roads.

We note the start but not the end . . .



. . . For time and fate must rule the course, while we see not beyond the bend.



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will show
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different
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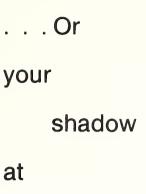
. . . Your shadow at morning striding behind you . . .



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evening rising

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you . . . T. S. Eliot



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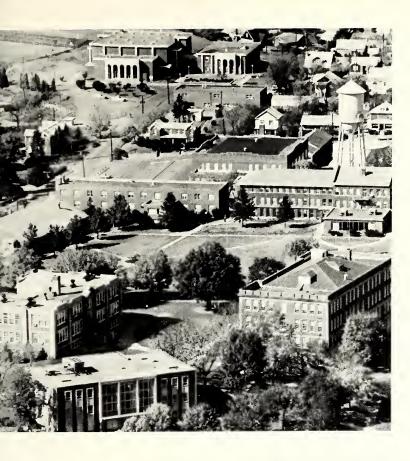


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It is easy in the world to follow the world's opinion; it is easy in solitude to follow our own; but the great man is he who in the midst of a crowd keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



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to you aught but
that which already
lies half asleep
in the dawning
of your
knowledge.

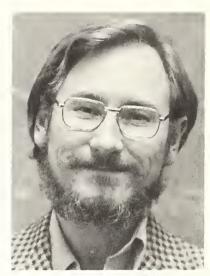




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If you wish to see the valleys, climb to the mountain top; if you desire to see the mountain top, rise into the cloud; but if you

seek to



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understand the cloud . . .



The teacher who walks in the shadow of the temple, among his followers, gives not of his wisdom . . .



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- Kahlil Gibran

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If my words
reach not
your understanding,



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then let be until another dawn.

- Kahlil Gibran

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To accomplish great things,
we must not only act but also dream,
not only plan but also believe.

— Anatole France

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For yesterday is but a dream,

And tomorrow is only a vision;

But today well lived

Makes every yesterday a dream of happiness,

And every tomorrow a vision of hope.





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Time has really changed, and lo, it has changed us, too.

It walked one step forward, unveiled its face, alarmed us and then elated us. — Kahlil Gibran



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Far away in the sunshine are my highest aspirations. I may not reach them,

but I can look and see their beauty, believe in them,



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Deborah Karcher Journalism



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and try to follow where they may lead. — Louisa May Alcott



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There are no "best ways." There are only alternatives.



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And so I smiled and they smiled Like some old long



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back at me lost friend.

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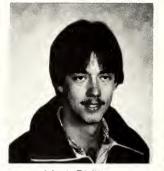
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. . Faces of friendship, precision, caution, suavity, ideality



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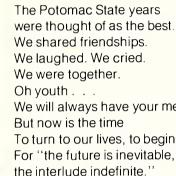
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We laughed. We cried. We were together. We will always have your memories. But now is the time To turn to our lives, to begin the future. For "the future is inevitable,



Judy Scott Forestry



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Jerry Shank Engineering Tech.



Roy Shrout III Journalism



Stephen Sluss Political Science



Charles Smith Chemistry



Christopher Smith Medical Tech.



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compassion, humor, intelligence, loyalty, happiness.

. Faces looking toward a new direction . .



You are not what you will become And cannot stop becoming what you are



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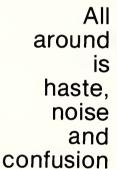
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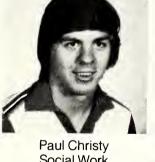
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Time creates memories of



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Don't just stand there . . . turn to your life and BE!



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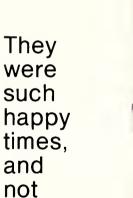
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long ago



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. . . I wonder where they've gone . . . The Carpenters



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Do not fear going forward slowly, fear only to



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You are today where your thoughts have brought you;



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Like Columbus
in the olden days
We must gather
all our courage
Sail our ships
out on the open sea
Cast away
our fears
and all the years
will come and go
And take us up
— always up! — Seals and Crofts



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You will be tomorrow where your thoughts take you.

— James Allen



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Never again
will you hold
this time in your hands:
Never again
will you know
this place;
Never again
will your heart be held

in this moment's swift

embrace.



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Times go by turns, and chances changes by course,

From foul to fair, from better hap to worse.

- Robert Southwell



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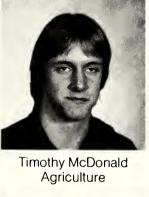


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Our lives came together for a brief period at PSC. We have touched each other. We have grown. Now we must turn and travel different roads.



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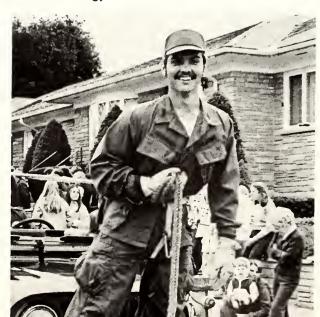
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Nothing to do about wasted hours, but today I must start.



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not in silence, but restraint.

Marianne Moore

Cherish yesterday; Dream tomorrow; Live today!



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You progress not through improving what has been done, but reading toward what has yet to be done.

- Kahlil Gibran



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Because I know that time is always time
And place is always and only place
And what is actual is actual only for one time
And only for one place . . .



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College is the turning point of growing up;



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And growing up is wishing you were young again.



There are those who give little of the much which they have — and they give it for recognition and their hidden desire makes their gifts unwholesome.

And there are those who have little and give it all.

These are the believers in life and the bounty of life, and their coffer is never

There are those who give with joy, and that joy is their reward.

And there are those who give with pain, and that pain is their baptism.

And there are those who give and know not pain in giving, nor do they seek joy, nor give with mindfulness of virtue . . . You give with mindfulness of virtue . . . You give but little when you give of your possessions.

It is when you give of yourself that you truly give.

Kahlil Gibran



SIGMA PHI OMEGA



(Row 1, from left) Elizabeth Stewart, Julie Malone, Donna Thomas, Anna Idleman, Barbara Parker and Alisa Mauk. (Row 2) Richard Umstot, Janice Rigby, Mary Ann Davis, Linette Ludwick, Christa Martin, Kelly Harman and Tammy Dorsey. (Row 3) Jay Clem, Steven Bland, Shelia Judy, Johnny Peyton, Robert Harman and Doug Kesner. Not pictured are Susan S. Bosley, Kay Burgess, Steven Dantzic, Edward Fazenbaker, and Robert T. Wilson.

OFFICERS 1978-79

PresidentShelia Judy
Vice-President
Adviser and SecTreas Prof. Kenneth F. Haines
Faculty Representative Prof. Virginia E. Johnson

Sigma Phi Omega Honor Society was established at Potomac State in April, 1923. The organization was founded as a student-faculty group for the purpose of fostering citizenship and scholarship. Members of the faculty belong by virtue of their position.

The society has remained a local one through the years with its own customs, ritual, insignia and traditions. Membership in Sigma Phi Omega is the highest honor conferred upon PSC students.

The highlight of the academic year is the spring banquet honoring new members. The society invites an outstanding personage to be the guest speaker at this event.

Sigma Phi Omega also sponsors the annual Recognition Day program in late April, at which awards and citations are presented and a summary of campus activities is given.

This year the society adopted a new project. It will annually raise funds for the Dr. Nancy M. Miller Memorial Scholarship. Dr. Miller served as sponsor of the group from 1937 to 1967.

STUDENT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION



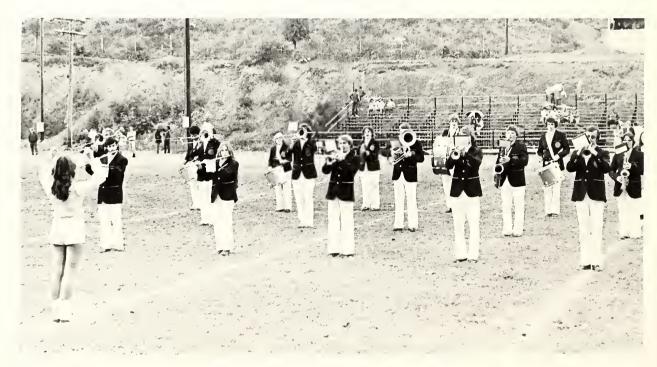
(Row 1, from left) Eda Thayer, JoAnn Bruno, Mary Hedrick, Elizabeth Stewart, president; and JoAnn Miller, secretary (Row 2) Kim Allamong, Mary Ann Davis, Debbie Maynard, Beth Giffin, vice-president; and Kathy Myers.

This organization was established to promote interest in the education field on campus. It fosters the intellectual and social interests of students majoring in education.

CONCERT BAND



(Row 1, from left) Tim Hall, Carol Liller, Jim Roderick, Denise Biggs, Alice Newlin, Julie Staggers, Dawn Harrison and Richard Frush. (Row 2) Peggy Cannon, Wanda Hambree, Karl Keller, Amy Statler, Danny Taylor, Lloyd Sowers and Joel Yockum. (Row 3) John Sine, Frances Whiteman, Terri Nelson, Bryant Williams, Craig Wagoner, Del Wachter, Roger Newlin, Tedd Wilson, Rhodes Whitehill, and Dr. Charles Whitehill, director.



MARCHING BAND



(Standing, from left) Ralph Santoro, Prof. Dennis Thurmond, director, Mary Thurmond, Terri Nelson, Bob Hamilton and Rocky Rifle. (Seated, row 1) Amy Statler, Alice Newlin, Tammy Wilkes and Karl Keller. (Row 2) John Hetzel, Lloyd Sowers, Danny Taylor, Dr. Charles Whitehill, Del Wachter, Tedd Wilson and Rhodes Whitehill. (Row 3) Chip Carroll and Bryant Williams.

THE JAZZ ENSEM-BLE



Tammy Wilkes, drum majorette



Linda Hedrick, feature twirler



Cathy Fisher, feature twirler



Loy Leatherman, feature twirler

THE SINGERS



(From left) JoAnn Miller, Kay Burgess, Donna Thomas, Mary Beth Howard, Kathy Ludwick, Amy Statler, Annette Gray, Steve Pancake, Lloyd Sowers, Steve Kesner, Craig Rotruck, Victor Whitt, Tony Cooper, Tammy Wilkes, Rhonda Hanlin, Barbara Martin, Alice Newlin, Kim Staggs, Linette Luwick, Cynthia Cooper, Diann Hovatter and Eda Thayer. Seated at the piano are Prof. Richard Davis, director, and Sharon Davis, accompanist.

The Singers, the college choral organization, is a mixed chorus open to all students by audition. The group performed both secular and sacred choral literature chosen from the works of the earliest masters to present day. Performance responsibilities of the Singers include the Christmas program and the Spring concert.

COLLEGE REPUBLICANS



(Seated from left) Kelley Harman, vice-president; Kay Burgess, president; Craig Rotruck, Jim Thompson, historian; and Donna Thomas (Standing) Mollie Ravenscoft, Terry Lamberson and Cindy Boggs, treasurer.

The College Republicans Club was created in the fall of 1970. The group promotes awareness of party political issues on campus.

ROTH MILITARY HONORARY SOCIETY



(From left) Major Bradford Baum, Janice Rigby, secretary; Richard Jones, publicity officer; Roy Shrout, commander; Chris Irvine, treasurer; Chris Smith, deputy commander; and Sqt. First Class Ronald Bailey.

ROTC COLOR GUARD: (from left) Richard Jones, Roy Shrout, president, Chris Smith, vice-president; and Chris Irvine, treasurer.

ROTH sponsors the annual Military Ball, provides color guard for ceremonies of a military nature and holds a fall or spring banquet.



ASTRONOMY CLUB



(From left) Prof. Jasper Morris, adviser, Joe Granzier, Tom Wilson, Julia Miller, Ben Jones and Henry Falkowski, adviser.

This is a faculty-student organization for those interested in telescopically observing stars and constellations with eight, six and four inch telescopes. This group traveled to Frostburg and Hagerstown planetariums, saw movies and viewed special NASA updates.

PASQUINO STAFF



(Row 1, from left) Denise Hartman, Gary Clites, Terri Nelson, Tom Kennedy and Roy Shrout (Row 2) Debra Minick, adviser; Deborah Karcher, Lloyd Sowers, Frances Whiteman, Mary Harris, Rudy Shiley and Donna Hutchins (Row 3) Brian Richard, Roxann Tigney, Mona Smith, Bob Kimmel and Lynn Beckman.

The Pasquino, the campus news publication, in its fifty-eighth year, informed readers about the campus news and views. The paper appeared every two weeks except during holidays and examination periods. It was sent to the parents of residents, as well as many alumni, other colleges, high schools, advertisers and friends of the college.

Although much time was spent gathering and organizing news, the staff found time to enjoy a Christmas party and the annual spring Press Banquet, at which Frank Kearns, a former CBS foreign correspondent, spoke. The staff also traveled to West Virginia University for Journalism Week to hear several speakers.

DEBORAH KARCHER	AMY C. SMITH	EDITORIAL STAFF	
Editor	and	Charles Carroll	Terri Nelson
	GAYLE POLAND	Gary Clites	Stephen Shiley
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	DEBRA MINICK		
I. LYNN BECKMAN	Adviser	CIRCULATION COMMITTEE	
and		John Davis	Mark Randalls
ROXANN TIGNEY	DENNIS M. CARPENTER	Richard Fazenbaker	Tammy Schramm
Editorial Board	Photography Adviser	Dave Parsons	

CATAMOUNT STAFF



(Row 1, from left) Charles Smith and Lurene Scott (Row 2) Gary Seldomridge, adviser, Debra Minick, adviser, and Mona Smith (Row 3) Fred LeMasters, Terri Nelson, Steve Kesner, Roxann Tigney, Frances Whiteman, Jay Clem and Jim Thompson



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1978-79 in words and pictures.

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JAY CLEM
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DEBRA MINICK, DENNIS M CARPENTER and GARY SELDOMRIDGE Advisers

4-H CLUB



(From left) Pam Francis, adviser, Cyrena Horton, Cynthia Cooper, treasurer; Emily Hott, Karen Sager, secretary; and Steve Pancake, president.

This year the 4-H Club visited the National 4-H center in Washington, D.C.

PSYCHO-LOGY CLUB AND SCOPE

(Row 1, from left) Evelyn Petry, adviser; Julia Miller. Jeanette Staggs, Kathy Myers and Elizabeth Stewart. (Row 2) Tammy Hill, Jeff Zirkovic, Alisa Mauk and Doug Kesner. (Row 3) Matt Holt.

The Psychology Club and SCOPE foster interest in special areas of psychology supported by films, guest lecturers and group discussions. These groups also became involved in Project Help, which was geared to the idea of students helping students.



CHEERLEADERS



(From left) Kim Parsons, Sandy Hall, Kathy Bounds, Kim Courtney, captain, Mary Beth Harper, Teresa Saville and Ruby Brooks

PUBLIC CHOICE CLUB



(Row 1, from left) Dr. Charles Tichner, Sharon Johnson, Janice Rigby, Scott Ludwick and Prof. William Edel, adviser. (Row 2) Doug Kesner and Mike Clise.

The main purpose of this club is to inform the campus community of popular issues such as post Mao-modernization, the Iranian situation and human rights development.

BLACK STUDENT UNITY



(Row 1, from left) John Leach and Cliff Brown (Row 2) Darwin Bush, Dickson Ijesucrobo, Mike Ray and Aarron Jones (Row 3) Kevin Dozier, Michael Cunningham and Roben Wilson (Row 4) Grant Clark, Tony Williams and Karen Ferguson, adviser

This organization was established to promote interest in unity among the black community on campus. It fosters the intellectual and social interests of black students.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS CLUB



(Seated from left) Mike Cox, Steve Pancake, Reva Taylor, president, and David Parsons (Standing) Richard Umstot. Steve Sluss and Tim Siebel

The Young Democrats Club was chartered in 1972 as an official part of the Democratic Party. The club promotes awareness of party political issues on campus.

CIRCLE K CLUB



(Row 1, from left) Frances Whiteman and Reva Taylor, secretary-treasurer. (Row 2) Mollie Ravenscoft, Kay Burgess, vice-president; and Cindy Milavec. (Row 3) Richard Fazenbaker and Richard Umstot, president.

The Circle K Club is the only true service organization on campus, and is dedicated to the ideals of service to the college and the community of Keyser. The club was established in 1952, and was issued certificate number six when Circle K became international.

The club was one of the most active organizations on campus this year. Activities included the operation of the used bookstore, the sponsorship of two bloodmobiles and the operation of the Homecoming Parents Day reception. The club also sold glass candleholders and attended the Circle K District Convention at Pipestem State Park.

The adviser was Prof. William E. Michael.

VARSITY CLUB



(Row 1, from left) Frank Klemens, Christy Webb, April Linville, Cliff Wright, Danie Athey, Judy Scott and Jenny Mullen, treasurer. (Row 2) Prof. John Stone, adviser; Cindy Baldwin, president; Beth Giffin, Jennifer Keeney, Jean Neel, vice-president; Mitzi Hoover and Kim Fowler.

The Varsity Club was established to promote athletics at PSC. Among the various activities this group was involved in were a Beer Blast and Talent Show in the Pub.

BUSINESS CLUB



(Row 1, from left) Joe Everett, historian, Donna Thomas, president; Tammy Schramm, secretary; and Mike Cox, vice-president. (Row 2) John Clements, Mary Jo Morehead, Lisa Hayes, treasurer; and Steve Pancake. (Row 3) Christy Stump and Kim Courtney, reporter. (Row 4) Kim Hardesty, Mildred Smith, Gayle Poland and Julie Miller (Row 5) Terry Lamberson, Prof. Elwood Layman, adviser; and Cindy Boggs

This organization was established to promote the interest in business on campus. It fosters the intellectual and social interests of students majoring in business.

OUTINGS CLUB



(Row 1, from left) Karen Sager, Dave Weissert, Melanie Post, Lou Ann Fisher, Yolanda Broome, Mary Ann Sandy, Tony Williams, Linda Day, Bonnie Ramsey and Pam Francis, adviser. (Row 2) Tim Hall, Ross Hopkins, Roxann Tigney, vice-president; Eric Livengood, president; and Matt Randles.

The Outings Club was established to provide an opportunity for students to journey and learn more about the Potomac Valley area. This group hiked the C&O Canal, visited Seneca Rocks and Blackwater Falls, and went to the Cumberland YMCA for swimming.

HOME ECONOMICS CHAPTER



(Seated, from left) Kathy Earnest, secretary; Nancy Hume, treasurer, and Regina Hite. (Standing) Tammy Reed, Jeanette Staggs, president, Satilphia Bruce, Prof. Elizabeth Hanlin, adviser, and Barbara Doyle, vice-president.

The Home Economics Chapter is affiliated with both the West Virginia and American Home Economics Associations. The activities are planned to provide for the development of women for service to their families and to the world.

The chapter sponsored the sale of mums for Homecoming this year, the sale of Better Homes and Gardens cookbooks; and also toured the food preparation and service areas at the local McDonald's.

DORM COUNCILS



FRIEND HALL: (from left) Connie McClung, secretary; Roxann Tigney, president; Kim Parsons, vice-president; and Diann Hovatter, treasurer.



MEMORIAL HALL: (from left) Hilton Graham, president, Albert Mylar, vice-president; and Robin Jansante, treasurer. Not pictured, Roy Shrout, secretary.



REYNOLDS HALL: (from left) Garrett Long, president; David Fletcher, vice-president; Steve Pancake, secretary-treasurer; and Steve Kachman, party chairman.



DAVIS HALL: (from left) Roger Massey, vice-president; Dennis Evans, secretary-treasurer; and Jerry Brackenridge, president

SPORTS CIVIC ACTION CLUB

This organization endeavors to make students aware of the personal need for involvement in athletics on campus.

CHRISTIANS IN CONCERN

This organization fosters inspiration of all Christian religions. The group concentrated its efforts to bring Christian youth into closer contact with the Church and to deepen their devotional lives through recreation and fellowship.

AGRICULTURE CLUB

This club was organized in 1954 for the purpose of furthering the professional and social interests of the members. Membership is open to all students majoring in agriculture, forestry and veterinary medicine.

SKI CLUB

This club promoted interest in snow skiing with reduced rates to WISP skiers, several trips, films and tee-shirts.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

This organization is the governing order of the student body. Its goals are furthering school spirit and the achievement of a cordial understanding between students and faculty. President was Steve Sluss.

Throughout the year, the government worked on campus activities such as Homecoming weekend, student entertainment and campus issues. It sponsored several Pub Acts and a variety of movies.

NEWMAN CLUB

This is a national Catholic organization, founded in 1948 at PSC. It fosters the spiritual, intellectual and social interests of Catholic students. It is a member of the National Newman Federation.





Life is a theater we well may call,

Where every actor must perform with art;

Or laugh it through and make a farce of all,

Or learn to bear with grace his tragic part.

Pallads



SISTER MAURA EICHNER, Poet

CATHY WILKIN, Artist





HIGHLAND JAZZ BAND



The
Circle K
Sponsored
Cardiopulmonary
Resuscitation
Seminar



POTOMAC STATE PLAYERS

With the expressed purpose of instructing interested students in acting, lighting techniques, stage make-up and set direction, the Players was organized in 1919. It was formed for the presentation of theatrical productions such as "The Star Spangled Girl" (pictured). This play was performed this year under the advisement of Prof. Anthony Whitmore and Dr. William Simpson.



Doug Kesner (left) and Taunya Beavers (right) are shown rehearsing. Not shown is the third main character which was played by Stanley Kimble.





TAMING OF THE SHREW and ROMEO AND JULIET

presented by the National Players





HANSEL AND GRETEL

presented by the West Virginia University Opera Theater

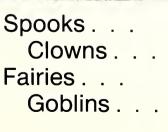


HALLOWEEN PARTY AT P.S.C.













HOMECOMING 78



With no time left on the boards, the Catamounts leave the field in triumph.



Clayton Hartman penetrates a wall of Montgomery tackles.



While Kathy Bounds boosts team spirit she says, "Howdy Partner".



Second runner-up Linette Ludwick, Queen Donna Thomas, and First Runner-Up Janet Hines beam with excitement at the halftime ceremonies.

ANTICIPATION is the name of the crowd's game.



Connie McClung and Eda Thayer display the reapings of the harvest season during the Homecoming Parade.

"CAT SCRATCH FEVER"



Peggy Mathews, who poses as the Catamount, believes that answers lie within her reach.

PUB ACTS . . .



SHARON DAWSON



SHARON DAWSON and TERRY NELSON



JON BOVEE and RALPH SANTORO LIVE!



THUNDERHILL PERFORMING LIVE . . .



SCARLETT FROM ARLINGTON, VA.





JAMES WALSH GYPSY BAND

...with hand-clapping foot-stomping music







TODAY'S YOUTH: TOMORROW'S ENERGY EARTH WEEK "79"

Earth Week began with the signing of a proclamation for 1979 by Mayor Athey and P.S.C. participants, Dr. James McBee, Margaret Gullick, Tony Cooper and Craig Rotruck.





The Steering Committee
(1st row) Dawnetta Funkhouser, Rhonda Hanlin. (2nd row) Tony Cooper, Ron Ambrose, Barbara Turpin,
Margaret Gulick. (3rd row) Mark Byer, Craig Rotruck, Juan Rinehart.

THE CANCER-DANCER MARATHON

The Dance Marathon began at 4 p.m. on Friday and lasted until 4 p.m. on Saturday. The marathon was under management of the Dance Committee, and Selby Jacobs, rep. of the Mineral County Chapter of the American Cancer Society.



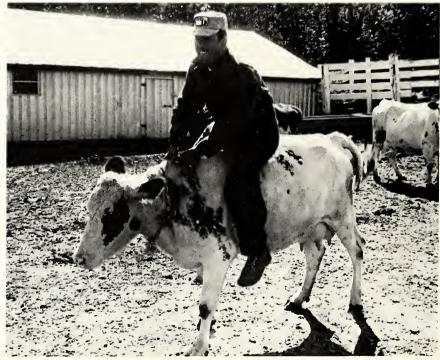




POTOMAC STATE FARM











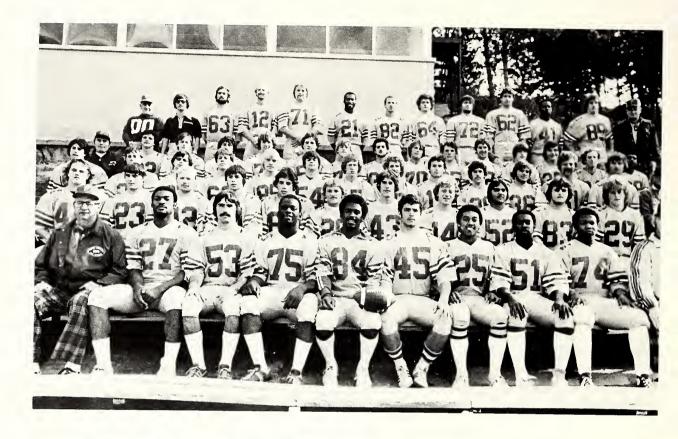


Real Character is judged by defeat which can later turn to victory . . .

Teach players to win as well as lose. but not like to lose.



POTOMAC STATE FOOTBALL "78"





COACHING STAFF: (from left) Gary Alt, offensive backfield coach; Tom Harman, offensive line coach; Head Coach Cecil Perkins; Mike Hicks, defensive line coach; and Fred (Tack) Clark, defensive backfield coach. Not pictured is Bradford Baum.





Success is not measured by heights attained . . .



FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

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PSC		Opponent
27	Nassau	21
24	Harford	31
7	Chowan	49
17	Wesley	14
42	Westchester	7
35	Montgomery .	3
17	Ferrum	28
8	WVU Jayvees	25
16	Hudson Valley	16
24	Lees McRae	20

REGION XX ALL-STAR FOOTBALL TEAM

First team: Gregory Buchanan

John Foy
Steve Hart
Raynard Lee
Ron Moats
Melvin McRoy
Peter Plousis
Theron Young

Honorable Mention Offensive Team: Earl West

Clifford Wright

. . . but by obstacles passed.









1-2-3 LET'S GO!



	Pts.	Avg.	Pct. G			BASKETBALL SCHEDULE	
Hilton Graham	427	17.8	60	24			
Craig Warnick	253	11.0	74	23	PSC		Opponent
Malcolm Garvin	260	10.8	73	24	63	Seminole CC	88
Tony Williams	88	8.9	70	10	74	Daytona Beach CC	59
Mike Clise	124	5.2	94	22	88	New World CC	61
Don Glenn	94	5.0	38	19	50	Miami Dade CC	66
Jim Lefferty	53	4.1	57	13	98	Fayette CC	51
Scott Ludwig	66	3.1	87	21	65	Baltimore CC	69
William Grier	52	2.9	44	18	98	Johntown UPJ	47
Mark Rodgers	39	2.4	50	16	89	Anne Arundel CC	68
Grant Clark	179	8.1	63	22	73	Allegany CC	71
					74	Navy Plebes	87
					55	Anne Arundel CC	52
					70	Fayette CC	41
					55	North Alleghany	60
					66	Boyce	89
					105	Hagerstown	86
					81	Garrett CC	66
					60	Allegany CC	91
					66	North Allegheny	74
					64	Boyce	80
					97	Ferrum CC	100
					Garrett Christmas Tournament		
					81	New Kensington	68
					70	Garrett CC	68
					Princeton University Tournament:		
					67	Princeton	71
					64	Dartmouth	73



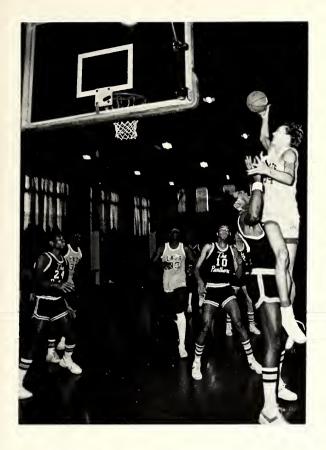
Nothing great is lightly won





Nothing won is lost . .









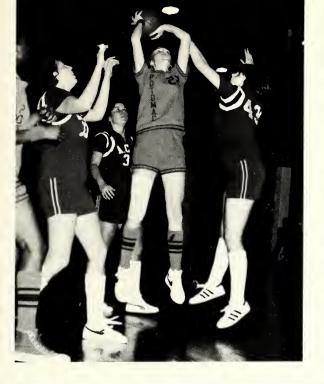
Some win; some lose; all try.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



BASKETBALL TEAM. (Front from left) April Linville, Jenny Mullen, Barbara Bean, Cindy Baldwin, co-captain; Mitzi Hoover and Danie Athey (Middle from left) Lou Ann Fisher, Barbara Cosner, Jean Neel, co-captain; Jennifer Keeney, Nina Bakke, Christy Webb, Tina Thuston and Kim Fowler. (Back from left) Head Coach Sandy Elmore, Judy Scott, trainer and manager; Karen Van Meter, scorekeeper; and Assistant Coach Pam Francis. Not pictured is Beth Giffin, statistician.

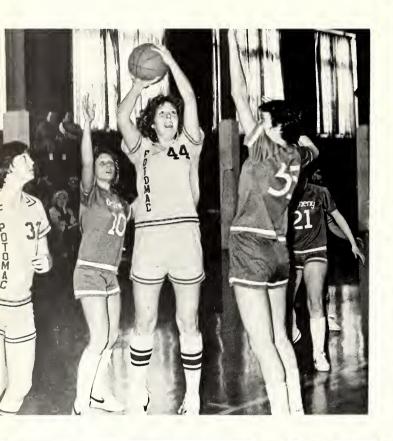
Leading Scorer — Nina Bakke BASKETBALL SCHEDUL			
139 for 379 36%			
Averaged 17.1 pts/game	PSC		Opponent
	63	CCAC Allegeny Campus	88
Leading Rebounder — Christy Webb	61		102
Averaged 10.6 rbs/game	61	Essex CC	102
	47		61
Leading Foul Shooter — Barbara Bean	63	Shenandoah College	66
14 for 19 73%	63	Allegany Comm. College	66
	79	CCAC Allegheny Campus	75
Leader in Steals — Cindy Baldwin	85	Shenandoah College	54
5.4 steals/game	76	Allegany Comm. College	68
	80		63
Leader in Assists — Cindy Baldwin	65	Hagerstown Jr. College	62
4.1 assists/game	91		87
	75	Ferrum	70
PSC Total Points — 1,257	69	Garrett CC	46
Opponents' Total Points — 1,159	46		39
	53	Charles CC	36
	74		57
	77	Chesapeake CC	33

















NINE ON THE DIAMOND . . .



BASEBALL TEAM: (sitting, from left) Shane Goddard, Greg Whitlow, Paul Christy, Jay Quinn, Tony Martin and Randy Cirillo. (Kneeling, from left) Wayne Darrell, Rob Harper, Holly Martin, Ed Trietley, Tommy Thomas, Joe Hall and Kelmar Lanham. (Standing, from left) Coach Dave Cline, Coach Fred "Tack" Clark, Mark Trietley, Dick Lively, Randy Bennett, Neil Huffman, Jeff Reynolds, Coach Branson Brown and Head Coach Jack Reynolds.

All Region XX Team
First team:
Ed Trietley — third base
(sophomore)
Second team:
Jeff Reynolds — outfield
(freshman)
Holly Martin — short-stop
(freshman)

Team Record: 19 wins, 9 losses



BASEBALL COACHING STAFF: (from left) Coach Fred "Tack" Clark, Coach Dave Cline, Coach Branson Brown and Head Coach Jack Reynolds.













WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM 1978-1979



VOLLEYBALL TEAM: (Kneeling from left) Lou Ann Fisher, Barbara Johnson, Mitzi Hoover, Barbara Bean, captain, Roxann Tigney and Cathy Marciniak, co-captain. (Standing from left) Judy Scott, manager; Jenny Mullen, Tina Thurston, Kim Murphy, Jean Neel, Nina Bakke and Coach Margaret Quinn.

PSC

Won

Won

Outstanding Server — Barbara Bean
Most Improved Player — Mitzi Hoover
Highest Academic Average — Barbara Johnson

Opponent Shenandoah Frederick

Lost

Lost

VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

Won	Frederick	Lost
Lost		
LUSI	Anne Arundel	Won
Lost	Chesapeake	Won
Won	Dundalk	Lost
Lost	Essex	Won
Won	Dundalk	Lost
Lost	Gallaudet	∗Won
Won	Shepherd	Lost
Won	Shepherd	Lost
Lost	Hagerstown	Won

PUMPING IRON



This year, the first weightlifting team was established being captained by Steve Wilkinson (pictured) at 220 pounds.

Other team members were Tony Juker, 123 pounds; Doug James, 132 pounds; Mark Nicols, 165 pounds; Danny Kilcoyne, 165 pounds, Tom Kennedy, 181 pounds; and Jeff Zivkovic, 220 pounds.





ALL-SPORTS BANQUET

Ron Moats, sophomore arts and sciences major from Grafton, WV, was the recipient of the Dana G. Lough award.



Guests at the banquet were (from left) Gary Watson from WKLP Glen A. Ryan, treasurer of the Cat Club, Kittie Blakemore, women's basketball coach at WVU, and Coach Cecil Perkins.

Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?

Thou art more lovely and more temperate.

Rough winds do shake the darling buds of May,

And summer's lease hath all to short a date:

And often is his gold complection dimmed:

And every fair from fair sometimes declines,

By chance, or nature's changing course, untrimmed:

But thy eternal summer shall not fade

Nor lose possession of that fair thou owest;

Nor shall Death brag thou wanderest in his shade

When in eternal lines thou growest.

So long as men can breathe or eyes can see

So long lives this, and this gives life to thee.

William Shakespeare



BEAUTY . . . IT IS A

Homecoming Queen



Miss Donna Jean Thomas

FORCE THAT BEGINS IN



Kay Burgess Escort — Ron Ambrose



Mary Ann Davis Escort — Donald Shoemaker



Janet Hines Escort — Steve Pancake



Glenna Elkins Escort — Steve Whiteman

. . AND ENDS



Regina Hite Escort — David Radcliff



Lynette Ludwick Escort — Anthony Cooper



Christa Martin Escort — Rick Harshbarger



Tammy Michael Escort — Brad Mallow

IN THAT PLACE



Janice Rigby Escort — Richard Jones



Reva Taylor Escort — Jim Sibel



Mary Ann Sandy Escort — Eric Livengood



Roxanne Tigney Escort — Mark Bee

SWEETHEART QUEEN

MARY HEDRICK
ESCORTED BY
GARY HAMMAN





QUEEN AND CQURT: (Left to right) Mary Beth Howard, escort — Joe Hall; Queen Hedrick, escort — Gary Hamman; Regina Hite, escort — Eric Steite; Roxanne Tigney, escort — Tony Williams.

MILITARY BALL QUEEN



CATHY CARLILE JONES

SPRING QUEEN



CATHERINE MARCINIAK

2nd Runner-up — Julie Malone

1st Runner-up — Kimberly Courtney



Spring Queen candidates were (from left) Kimberly Courtney, Deborah Karcher, Cathy Marciniak, Julie Malone, Shelia Judy, Kay Burgess and Kelly Harmon.

APPLE BLOSSOM PRINCESS



KIMBERLY PARSONS

Potomac State Representative Apple Blossom Festival Winchester, Virginia

PSC ROYALTY . . .



MISS LINDA HEDRICK
MISS TEEN/ALL AMERICA 1978-1979

"Beauty is truth,
truth beauty,"
that is all
ye know on earth,
and all ye need
to know.
— John Keats





Westerdays

Quickly we must climb aboard, The ship will wait no more. We must leave now this snug harbor And embark for a strange, new shore.

We must leave that which is familiar And sail toward what is new. So powerlessly we watch and wait As our harbor fades slowly from view.

Straining, we try to recapture

The moments which are slipping away.
But the progress of the ship is steady.

Only memories are left us today.

We should not linger at the stern,

For we must hurry to the bow.

Only there, we may hope to catch a glimpse

Of the new life which beckons us now.

Christine Gattinella

"39th ANNUAL RECOGNITION DAY" APRIL 25, 1979

Sigma Phi Omega sponsored the 39th Annual Recognition Day to honor outstanding students and faculty members.



Richard "Doc" Umstot CIRCLE K McPHERSON AWARD



1978-79 Student Body President, Steve Sluss, swears in next year's student body president Barbara Turpin.



CIRCLE K SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS James Green and Jay Clem





WALTER BOONE CHEMISTRY AWARD Donald Wolford

MILITARY SCIENCE AWARD SUPERIOR CADET AWARD FOR MS2 Craig Spriggs



AGRICULTURE AWARD Raymond Vance Jackson



MAUZY-HARRIS HISTORY AWARD Janice Rigby

PASQUINO AWARD BEST EDITORIAL Frances Whiteman



OUTSTANDING
TEACHER
AWARDS

PROF. NANCY HOCKENSMITH

PROF. JASPER MORRIS



PROF. JOHN STONE

OTHER AWARDS . . .

WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES:

Kay Burgess, Jay Clem, Kimberly Courtney, Richard Hamman, Kelley Harman, Linda Hedrick, Mary Hedrick, Regina Hite, William Horton, Mary Howard, Shelia Judy, Paul Douglas Kesner, Linette Ludwick, Julia Malone, Jean Neel, Jeffrey Pancione, Stephen Sluss, Charles Smith, Elizabeth Stewart, Reva Taylor, Donna Thomas, Roxann Tigney, Doc Umstot and Robert Tedd Wilson.

OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF THE JAZZ ENSEMBLE: Robert Tedd Wilson

OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF THE CONCERT BAND: Alice Newlin

MODERN LANGUAGE AWARD: John Dyson for excellence in the German language.

WILLIAM E. MICHAEL BIOLOGY AWARD: Richard K. Umstot, Jr.

MAURICE G. POWELL CHEMISTRY AWARD: Richard K. Umstot, Jr.

OUTSTANDING CATAMOUNT MEMBER: Ramona Smith

PASQUINO AWARDS: BEST NEWS STORY: Gary Clites

BEST EDITORIALS: Deborah Karcher and Frances Whiteman

BEST FEATURE STORY: I. Lynn Beckman

FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS WRITING: Brian Richard

CITATIONS PRESENTED: Amy Cannon Smith, business manager and

Gayle Poland, assistant business manager, and Jay Stickley,

circulation manager

MILITARY SCIENCE AWARDS: SUPERIOR CADET AWARD FOR MS1; Scott Haggerty

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AWARDED FOR OUTSTANDING

ROTC CADET: Rebecca Moore and runner-up. Chris Irvin

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(From left) Dr. James L. McBee Jr., executive dean of the college; Rev. Dewane Lowther of Grace United Methodist Church, Keyser, who gave the invocation and the benediction; and Dr. Jay Barton, vice president and provost for Academic Affairs at West Virginia University, who gave the commencement address.



Dr. Jay Barton



The Brass Quartet played a selection during commencement. Playing trumpet (from left) are Dr. Charles Whitehill and Danny Taylor. Playing trombone (from left) are Rhodes Whitehill and Tedd Wilson.



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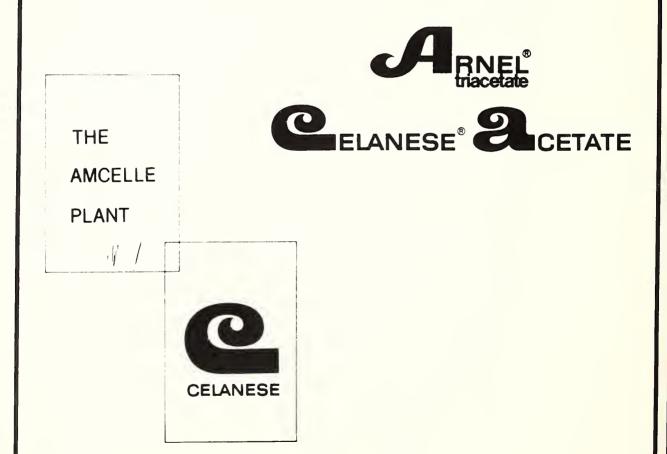
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